

St. Francis & St. Mary Parish



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Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:45 p.m.; Sunday 8:00 a.m.
Tuesday & Wednesday 8:00 a.m.
Holy Day—Check Bulletin

Contact Information

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Religious Education

For all children attending public school in grades 5K through 12.
Sacramental Preparation: Students celebrate Reconciliation and First Communion in 2nd Grade and Confirmation in 12th Grade.

New Members

Please call the Parish Office or visit our website to establish membership.

Baptism

For Baptism preparation and to set a date for the Baptism, please contact the Parish Office.

Reconciliation

- Sunday 7:15 a.m.
- Or by appointment

Marriage

Please contact the Parish Office as soon as you decide to marry to insure availability of the church and to allow time for preparation. A minimum of 6 months before the date of the marriage is necessary.

Care For the Homebound or Sick

- We are happy to make arrangements for visits to the homebound or sick, but, we need to be aware of these folks. Please advise the Parish Office.
- **Anointing of the Sick** If you are anticipating a surgery or are in declining health, you may request the Anointing of the Sick or stay after Mass on the first full weekend of the month. If a member of your family is homebound and would like a visit, please call the Parish Office.

St. Francis & St. Mary Parish
9716 Cemetery Road
Brussels, WI 54204

OUR FRONT ENTRANCE IS HANDICAP ACCESSIBLE

Weekly Liturgical Calendar

Masses

Saturday, July 18

4:00 p.m. **Mass in Dyckesville**
 5:45 p.m. **Mass in Brussels**
 In Thanksgiving for the Pierre Family

Sunday, July 19

8:00 a.m. **Mass in Brussels**
 ✠ Gary Renard
 ✠ Carrie Ann Renard
 10:00 a.m. **Mass in Dyckesville**

Monday, July 20

No Masses

Tuesday, July 21

8:00 a.m. **Mass in Brussels**
 ✠ Angela Chaudoir
 ✠ Ryan & Jessica Chaudoir

Wednesday, July 22

8:00 a.m. **Mass in Brussels**
 ✠ Roger Bacon
 ✠ Judy Jenquin

Thursday, July 23

8:30 a.m. **Mass in Dyckesville**

Friday, July 24

8:30 a.m. **Mass in Dyckesville**

Saturday, July 25

4:00 p.m. **Mass in Dyckesville**
 5:45 p.m. **Mass in Brussels**
 LDM of Richard Massart Family

Sunday, July 26

8:00 a.m. **Mass in Brussels**
 ✠ Kilton & Monica Vandenhouten
 10:00 a.m. **Mass in Dyckesville**



Sanctuary Light-Week of July 19

Judy Jenquin

SHEPHERD HOURS (IN THE RECTORY)

TUESDAY, JULY 21 9:30 A.M. - 12 NOON
 WEDNESDAY, JULY 22 9:30 A.M. - 12 NOON

PARISH OFFICE HOURS -- WEEK OF JULY 19

Office hours will not follow a schedule for the next few weeks. Please call the office to see if we are open. If we are not, leave a message with the Answering Service. Those calls are monitored and we will call you back as soon as we are able. Thanks for your patience.

Financial-July 6-12, 2026

***See next week's Bulletin

Liturgical Roles

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday, July 25 – 5:45 p.m.

Lector: Ann Kleist
Eucharist: Jared Spude
Server: Emma Engebose & Raegen Spude
Ushers: Brian Engebose & Wayne Kleist
Sunday, July 26 – 8:00 a.m.
Commentator: Terri Vandenhouten
Lectors: Trina Grovogel & Mary Spude
Eucharist: Beth Hanson
Server: Madeline Alberts & Ashton Pichette
Ushers: Brian Renard & Cody Renard

Parish News



OUR SUNDAY SCRIPTURE

~The Spirit comes to the aid of our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes with inexpressible groanings. ~Romans 8:26

Construction Update

You can certainly see the progress! Construction is on schedule with completion targeted for mid to late September. Only a couple more months . . .

Kermis Raffle Donations

We still need donations of all kinds for Kermis. If you have something to donate for the raffle or auctions, contact Ann and give her the description by phone or e-mail.

Donation Drop-Off Locations: You can drop off items whenever you'd like. Gift cards, gift certificates or cash donations can be put in the offertory collection basket. Small items and any perishable items can be placed on the table outside the Baby Room. Large items (such as sporting goods, coolers, outdoor furniture, picnic tables, grills, firepits and accessories, electronics, large kitchen items, power tools, and decorative metal art) can be dropped off at John & Mary Spude's (1850 County Road C). Please call either Mary (920-493-1383) or Dawn Englebert (920-495-2541) before you drop off so someone can meet you. You can also bring items to the Brussels Park Pavilion Saturday morning 9/5 from 9:00-11:00 or Sunday morning 9/6 from 6:00-8:00. Thank you!

Formed

This week on Formed, check on some great topics. Explore the following *The Ulmas or The Pope Versus Technology*. *Liturgical Calendar: 22-Feast of St. Mary Magdalene*.

 Shepherd's Thoughts

God is good, all the time! All the time, God is good!

If God is good, why does He allow evil to exist in this world? Why do the innocent sometimes suffer while those who do wrong seem to prosper? Today's readings do not answer these questions directly. Instead, they invite us to place our trust in God's wisdom, patience, and mercy.

The first reading reminds us that God's power is unlike any human power. "For your might is the source of justice; your mastery over all things makes you lenient to all" (Wis 12:16). God's strength is revealed not through harshness but through mercy. Rather than condemning immediately, He patiently gives people time to repent, "that you would permit repentance for their sins" (Wis 12:19). Every day we are given another opportunity to return to Him.

The Psalm beautifully echoes this truth: "Lord, you are good and forgiving" (Ps 86:5). No matter how far we may have wandered, God never grows weary of listening to those who sincerely seek Him. His mercy is always greater than our sins. His arms are always reaching out to embrace us, even when we try to hide from Him.

Saint Paul offers another source of hope. There are moments when we struggle to pray, when our hearts are burdened and words fail us. Yet "the Spirit himself intercedes with inexpressible groanings" (Rom 8:26). Even in our silence, God understands the deepest longings of our hearts.

In the Gospel, Jesus compares the Kingdom of Heaven to a field where wheat and weeds grow together. The servants want to pull out the weeds immediately, but the master wisely says, "Let them grow together until harvest" (Mt 13:30). God sees what we cannot. His patience is not approval of evil; rather, it is an expression of His desire that sinners be converted and that no one be lost.

Jesus also reminds us that the Kingdom often begins in small and hidden ways. It is like a mustard seed that grows into a large tree and like yeast that quietly leavens the whole batch of dough (Mt 13:31-33). Small acts of faith, kindness, forgiveness, and love may seem insignificant, yet in God's hands they become powerful instruments of transformation.

Finally, Jesus explains that He is the One who sows the good seed, the field is the world, and the harvest will come at the end of time (Mt 13:37-43). Until then, we are called not to judge others but to remain faithful disciples, allowing God's grace to make us fruitful.

Today, let us ask the Lord for patient and trusting hearts. Instead of becoming discouraged by the presence of evil around us, may we continue to sow goodness wherever we are. Let us become the good seed Christ has planted in the world, trusting that in His perfect time, goodness will triumph, mercy will have the final word, and those who remain faithful

"will shine like the sun in the Kingdom of their Father" (Mt 13:43).



Reflection Line:

God's patience is an invitation to conversion, and His mercy gives us time to become the good seed He has planted in the world.



Takeaway Thought:

Do not be discouraged by the weeds around you—or even within you. Trust in God's patient love, allow His grace to transform your heart each day, and keep sowing goodness, knowing that in His perfect time, He will bring forth a rich and abundant harvest.

Green Bay Catholic Koinonia

The Koinonia Community invites you to join them for a weekend of renewal, connection and grace from 5pm Friday 8/21 through 5pm Sunday 8/23. This retreat will provide you with a personal encounter with Jesus. The weekend is centered entirely on Jesus and is led by lay people, clergy and religious. Experience talks, discussions, personal reflections, sharing, prayer and liturgical celebrations. Registration required. Registration forms are at both entrances of St. Louis Parish, or call their office, 920-866-2410. Or you can contact Jeane Blunck at 715-587-4608 or e-mail her at blunck.jeane@gmail.com

Dynamic Catholic

Find inspiration from fellow Catholic worshipers, like Matthew Kelly and others, as we journey through our life. This week, take time to do some reflecting with two different topics. Try *Radical & Relevant: The Anxiety Epidemic or Gospel Reflection: A Honest Look at Ourselves*.

Area News

Holy Name of Mary Parish Picnic & Car Show

The Holy Name of Mary Parish Picnic and Car Show will take place on Sunday July 19 from 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. There will be fun for the whole family, music, raffles, games, food and refreshments. Come join the fun.

St. Louis Summer Festival

St. Louis of Dyckesville will have their Summer Festival on Sunday July 26. It will start with a Polka Mass at 10:00 a.m. followed by a Parade. There will be Food, Baskets, and Music. Something for the whole family.

Alive with Him

This is a Door County Youth Gathering: An opportunity to listen to fellow Christian Youth and enjoy pizza, refreshments and fellowship! This will take place on Monday August 3 starting with Mass at 5:30 p.m. followed by fellowship concluding at 8:30 p.m. It will take place at Corpus Christi Social Hall and it is open to all youth 14 and older.

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Mass Schedules

Maplewood Sunday 8:45AM
 Lincoln/Rosiere.....Saturday 4PM Rosiere & Sunday 10:15AM Lincoln
 Dyckesville:Saturday 4PM & Sunday 10:00AM
 Luxemburg.....Saturday 4PM & Sunday 7:30AM & 10:30AM
 Casco Saturday 7:30PM & Sunday 9AM

Please continue to pray for... Homebound Parishioners: Sandy DuBois. Those in Assisted Living and Nursing Homes: Marge Columb, Shirley Simon. For all in Need of Healing: Janet Kaye, Laurie Malcore, McCoy Vandenhouten. For all who are Suffering. For the Poor Souls in Purgatory.